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COUNTY NEWS

CORRESPONDENTS.

Readers Ebb and Flow of the Human Tide.

Lake View

View Drug Co.'s drug store.

torate last Friday.

Miss Lester Rogers visited friends The Herald knows of at this time.

in town Sunday. Miss Mae Regan is improving at

this writing. Miss Ina Bracey spent Sunday in

Mrs. D. K. Ford and little daugh-Rocky Mount, where they were in

the hospital for treatment.

Miss Lucille Russell, as the prettiest

Fork.

Miss Meia Stubbs of Georgia spent several days last week with her cousin, Mrs. Zack Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Dubose and children and Miss Sue Nell Stith of Lamar, spent Saturday here with

Roberts of Smithsboro.

spent last Tuesday in Fayetteville.

days last week with her sister, Mrs. Poindexter at Sanford, N. C.

Minturn.

Miss Ruth Stackhouse of Dillon spent a few days with Miss Maggie

Miss Charlton John spent the week end at her home in Bennettsville.

Mrs. Sam Usher.

end at her home in Clio

game last week,

Officer Seize Booze.

was the product of dried peach-friends. es and apples and it is claimed that the alcoholic content was pretty strong. The stuff was stored in a closet in one of the bedrooms. Allen Surles plead guilty to the charge of acting as a "go between" in dispos-

The Herald will be published one day earlier next week and advertisers and correspondents are urged to send in copy not later than Monday morning. The office force, which has been very busy all the year, is entitled to a brief rest during the holi- Mullins Enterprise. will be greatly appreciated. The me- illness which lasted about one year chanical department will be closed Funeral services were held from the Wednesday and Thursday. The busi- residence three miles north of Nich

New Year Changes.

There will be many changes in the AND HAPPENINGS business life of Dillon January 1st.

The Dillon Cotton Mills will move their offices to the mills. NEWSEY LETTERS BY REGULAR Dillon and Maple Mills facing Railnoon in honor of Miss Ruth
road ayenue. The office occupied by house whose marriage to
Phillip ed and two women wounded occurfor carrying passengers on road avenue. The office occupied by house whose News Items of Interest to Herald maha & Samaha who will open a gro- will take place December 23. Rev. Leslie and wife, the Metho-door east from the corner, Mr. Med-Hargrove, Mrs. L. Cottingham and dist pastor, have arrived to take lin having purchased this property. Mrs. B. A. Bedenbaugh. charge of their work here. Mr. Les- Jas. D. Hargrove has purchased W. Dr. Lester has returned from Bal-McLaurin & Thompson will move cat with the following telegram tied the heart and killing him instantly. timore, Md., where he took Mr. Ben across the street into the large brick soon to be married. They both decid-building formerly occupied by the ed too long they'd tarried. The carkins for an examination and treat-Seaboard Air Line as a freight stakins for an examination and treat- Seaboard Air Line as a freight sta- in the bag lets out the word. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Floyd, son the McLaurin Drug Co., goes with third." and daughter, Mr. Fulton and Miss the First National Bank. There may Christine, of Fairmont, N. C., visited be other changes in the business around and each guest was asked to

Big Real Estate Deal.

Dillon real estate was closed last week guest of honor. Block cream and when R. S. Rogers purchased the I. dainty heart-shaped cakes in pink ter, Miriam, have returned from Blum property at the corner of Main and green were served, followed by ocky Mount, where they were in street and Railroad avenue. The concoffee and mints.

Rev. E. T. Mason was called to erty has a frontage of 60 feet on Rail-lovely reception Wednesday afternoon Bermuda Friday to preach the funer- road avenue and a depth of 100 feet in honor of Miss Ruth Stackhouse. al of the infant child of Mr. Bass on Main street. The main building Receiving with the hostess were the who lives beyond Dillon.

The entertainment given at the school Friday night was quite a success of inancially.

The proceeds the proceeds on Main street. The main building guest of honor, Mrs. Wade Stackhouse and Mrs. P. B. Sellers. Others assisted were Mesdames W. C. Moore, which was a success of inancially.

The proceeds are a success of inancially. The proceeds nue is occupied by the First National Gibson, L. Cottingham, W. E. Cald amounted to \$266.00. Five boxes Bank. The brick building in the rear well Walker Floyd. were sold at fancy prices, Miss Ellen of the building occupied by the I. White's box bringing the most, Blum Co. was purchased by the First dining room by Misses Martha Stack \$24.75. A cake was auctioned off for National Bank several months ago house, Sarah Hargrove, Evelyn Cald the prettiest girl. Those in the race and it is understood that the First well and Lila Johnson. were Miss White and Miss Lucille National Bank has traded Mr. Rogers Misses Eula Braddy and Jane Gil Powell. The cake was won by this building for the corner store oc- son poured coffee at a prettily apcupied by the I. Blum Co., and will pointed table in the rear of the hall girl in town, the cake bringing \$188. move into its own building in the of mistletoe tied with white ribbon next few months. The building will on each guest after which refreshbe improved and fitted up for a bank

Dillon's State Tax.

Dillon county will pay \$50,322.21 Mrs. Barlow Entertains in Honor of into the state treasury this year as \$5,591,357.00. Charleston makes the noon, December 10. Miss Inez Hayes from near Marietsessment comes from Allendale, the by Mrs. W. J. Adams.

N. C. has been visiting the baby county at the baby cou ta, N. C., has been visiting relatives baby county, which returns property low were Mrs. Wade Stackhouse, Miss money raised is spent locally for yesterday against the trustees of St.

Sam Blackwell Goes to Maxton.

spending a few days, in Rockingham. in the business and will leave the Caldwell and Lila Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Henley of Ma- first of the year for Maxton, N. C., rietta spent Sunday with Mr. and where he will open a hardware store, room by Misses Jane Gibson and Eu-The name of the new business will la Braddy. Miss Mattie Hamer spent the week be the Maxton Hardware Co. Mr. Mr. Howard Johnson of Minturn lington and during his long residence of the lington and during his long residenc broke his collar bone in a foot ball here has made many warm friends gave a few fine selections on the who will regret to see him leave. He piano. this section of the state and that his appropriate favors. Chief McRae seized about 10 gal- new business venture will be a suclons of cider at the home of Gilmore cess goes without saying. He carries Norton Saturday night. The cider with him the best wishes of many

Nice Lot of Hogs.

ped at Mr. H. M. Rogers' place a few rooms. ing of the cider and was sentenced to days ago and saw one of the prettiest as he escaped and has not been ap- ed and hanging up which would avprehende. Later: Norton was appre- erage from 350 to 500 pounds each. saw a priettier sight.

DEATH OF D. T. HUGGINS.

ness office will close at 3 o'clock ols Tuesday morning at eleven ness office will close at 3 o'clock o'clock conducted by his pastor, Rev. Edwards. Wednesday afternoon and re-open W. R. Phillips. Mr. Huggins was a Others Runser and Turner, the aviators garded as a consecrated christian by Smith. who were here last week, returned to all who knew him. He is survived by and D. T. Huggins of Marion county, noon,

IN HONOR OF BRIDE-ELECT.

Mrs. Walker Floyd and Mrs. G. D. Ballow Entertain for Miss Rum Stackhouse.

their offices to the mills. The mill Mrs. Walker Floyd gave an "anoffice building will be between the nouncement party" Thursday after-

will occupy the Richbourg store one Deaton, Mrs. T. B. Dubose, Mrs. John

After all the guests had arrived lit tion. Jack Hayes, who has been with date they've chosen, the twenty-

Telegram blanks were then passed Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arnette, Sunday. life of the town, but these are all write a telegram, using only the let ters contained in the names of t bride and the bridegroom-elect. These were read by Mrs. L. Cottingham and and came to Williamsburg county held after the morning service. Praythe prize for the shortest telegram soon after his graduation in medicine choir practice. Teachers' meeting on was awarded to Miss Nell Carmichael. locating in the Nesmith neighborhood was awarded to Miss Nell Carmichael, The largest deal in the history of who gracefully presented it to

Refreshments were served in th

on each guest after which refreshments were served. Misses Mary Bethroughout the afternoon.

Miss Ruth Stackhouse.

including both real and personal, is Mrs. G. D. Barlow Wednesday after-

In the receiving line with Mrs. Bar.

green and white, were Mrs. J. B. men in Dillon who purchased \$5.00

Gibson and Mrs. L. Cottingham. A Health Bonds:

Additional list of business firms or Mr. Siegrist, through his attorneys, Hull and Eberhardt, alleges that on possibility. The supreme courts de-Mr. Sam Blackwell, for many years

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Mrs. W. E. Caldwell and Mrs. Wal
Mrs. W. E. Caldw Gibson and Mrs. L. Cottingham.

Mrs. Hargrove Entertains.

a recent bride.

its handsome cluny lace cover.

Rowland, N. C.

guests were served a delicious salad nesday, December 31st. course of coffee and mints by Misses Sarah Hargrove, Mary and Evelyn

THREE MEN DEAD AT ST. STEPHENS.

Two Women Wounded in Serious Shooting Affair.

affair in which three men were kill- near future. The plane will be use the mill will be taken over by Sa- Bruce Sellers of Birmingham, Ala., red at St. Stephens shortly after 9 trips to cities and towns in the two o'clock last night. The facts in the Carolinas. The greatest obstacle in The house was decorated in po. case as reported here are to the ef- the way, says Mr. Sprunt, is a land-

Assisting the hostess in receiving it is alleged, to stay away from his cost of the enterprise up pretty high Mr. Brenneck of Walhalla, S. C., business over there. The Pee Dee and entertaining were Miss Sallie Duhouse; shot at Cotton and then went is a hanger in which to house the to his room upstairs. brother of the young woman Cotton ed from the elements and it will was calling on, heard the excitement necessary to have a large house is in the parlor and came downstairs. which to keep it. These matters are lie succeeded Mr. Phillips the for- E. Hall's interest in the Hargrove- tle Misses Sue Herring and Martha Upon opening the parlor door Cotton, now under consideration and if the mer pastor who left for his new pas- Hall Co., and will conduct the busi- Stackhouse entered carrying a bag the report states, thinking it was Dr. landing field can be obtained at Hall Co., and will conduct the busi-ness in the name of J. D. Hargrove. out of which jumped a large whit ness in the name of J. D. Hargrove. out of which jumped a large whit cat with the following telegram tied the heart and killing him instantly. Wood will purchase the machine.

Dr. Pratt then returned to the Services at the Methodist Church. scene of the shooting, it is stated and again fired at Cotton, mortally wounding him, but before Cotton died Watson B. Duncan, pastor. he fired four shots at Dr. Pratt, who school at 10 a. m., Mr. W. H. Muller, day with their doughty old parent, fell dead in the hallway. Miss Bell superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. was wounded in the arm and her and 7 p. m. by the pastor. Morning obsequies were read when the sumother received a slight wound in subject: "The First Christmas Song." the shoulder.

locating in the Nesmith neighborhood Saturday at 4 p. m. Public cordially ly fixed the responsibility for declarwhere he built up an extensive prac-invited to all services. tice. About five years ago he married Miss Katherine Bell and for several years thereafter they made their home in his old home community. Florence Times: He then returned to St. Stephens and Coast Line Railroad. John Bell and ing \$109,000. Cotton are said to have been good friends.

20th and it is hoped by that time that all reports will be in. Will all interest to make later. Dillon County District Chairmen turn in their funds by that time so that of interest in business circles. Some nual report of the secretary of war, thea and Beulah Braddy presided at lowing District Chairmen have retailed furnished music lowing District Chairmen have retailed for the Edison and furnished music lowing District Chairmen have retailed for the following District Chairmen have re ported and turned in their funds: No. 4. Mrs. Lacy Corbett, Little

No. 2. Mrs. K. L. McDonanid__ 5.00 No. 12. Miss Flora Hamer __ 22.00 The guests were welcomed into the No. 13. Mrs. J. C. Adams __ 10.00 SUES CEMETERY FOR \$50,000

leston will pay into the state treasleston will pay into the state t

Music from the Edison was furnish- Citizens to Confer With Delegation.

feels an interest in the c ounty's af- formation. As the guests were leaving Miss fairs is requested to meet with the By virtue of these facts," says the is one of the best hardware men in Sara Bethea presented them with county delegation at the court house complaint, "he has suffered great 11 o'clock. The purpose of the meet- respect which he had for his wife dur died under the compulsory school ating is to discuss the county's affairs ing her lifetime and which he has Mrs. John Hargrove entertained and decide upon some definite and for her memory now." Saturday afternoon at a lovely reception in honor of Mrs. Earle Bethéa, county's highways. The public roads of the county are in a deplorable Handsome ferns and bowls of frag- condition. It is said that Dillon has Ohio Physician Asserts Hospitals Mrs. A. K. Bransford, school attendrant narcissi added to the beauty and the worst public roads in the state. Herald representative that he stop- freshness of the spacious reception Several plans for carrying on the In the dining room pink and white past, but they have not given satispay a fine of \$25 or 10 days on the sights he ever saw in Dillon county. carnations were used, the round tapublic works. Norton must have had He said Mr. Rogers was killing hogs ble being especially attractive with a the advice and cooperation of the "rationing" of this commodity is described by the days ago and saw one of the prettiest and was sentenced to days ago and saw one of the days some warning of the approaching raid and there were 19 fat porkers dress- large cut glass vase of carnations on citizens in settling the road-working clared really desirable and most ben- thorities were legally bound to take problem. They see the need of new eficial to the public health says the action in the case. Mr. Johnson had Receiving at the door were Mrs. legislation in adopting a better sys- New York Herald. According to Dr. been notified of the operation of the hended and fined \$200 by Mayor They were of the Poland China and Hamer.

They were of the Poland China and Jas. Hargrove and Mrs. J. A. Moore. tem, but they believe they can get better results if the citizens will add the were not more than a year old. Mr. guests to the receiving line which vise with them at the meeting called yesterday, the percentage of illness in the control of the operation of the law the preceding week.

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The evidence of the defendant made were not more than a year old. Mr. guests to the receiving line which vise with them at the meeting called the law the preceding week. were not more than a year old. Mr. Mrs. L. Cottingnam introduced the better results if the citizens will add vesterday, the percentage of illness in the property of the percentage of illness in the citizens with them at the meeting called families, particularly where there are stood in the library and included Mrs. In the citizens with the mat the meeting called families, particularly where there are stood in the library and included Mrs. In the citizens with the mat the meeting called families, particularly where there are babies, has fallen off since the presentage of illness in the citizens with the mat the meeting called families, particularly where there are babies, has fallen off since the presentage of illness in the citizens with the mat the meeting called families, particularly where there are babies, has fallen off since the presentage of illness in the citizens with the mat the meeting called families, particularly where there are babies, has fallen off since the presentage of illness in the citizens with the mat the meeting called families, particularly where there are babies, has fallen off since the presentage of illness in the citizens with the mat the meeting called families, particularly where there are babies, has fallen off since the presentage of illness in the citizens with the meeting called families, particularly where there are babies, has fallen off since the presentage of illness in the citizens with the meeting called families. M. J. Hargrove, Mrs. John Hargrove, matters which the delegates wishes to take up with the citizens and these Bethea, Mrs. W. C. Moore, Mrs. W. matters will be discussed at the meet-matters will be discussed at the meet-matter Thad Bethea and Mrs. Neil Smith of ing. Every man who feels an interest ar be curtailed in the homes and in hereafter. Any failure on his part to in the proper administration of his all eating places. Assisting in the hall' were Mrs. county's affairs should lay aside his days and if advertisers and corresMr. D. T. Huggins, age 73. died
N. B. Hargrove, Mrs. Wade Stackduties for this day and attend the
months' tour of the East, that in the
first case of this kind had to occur in by Monday morning their kindness morning at four o'clock, following an R. P. Rowe. In the dining room the the court house at 11 o'clock, Wed-larger hospitals every time there is a Latta, but it shows that the spirit of

Many Dogs in Dillon.

Others in charge were Mrs. W. J. According to the returns made to the and of all doctors that sugar in too life long member of Nichols Metho- Adams, Mrs. D. M. Michaux, Mrs. Comptroller General Dillon county large quantities does great harm." dist church and was generally re- Walker Floyd and Miss Margaret has 1,288 dogs. Darlington is the only county in the state that reports no Attractive favors appropriate to dogs. The return shows also that Dilwho were here last week, returned to the present town of Latta officials, I Dillon Tuesday for a short visit. They landed in T. W. Bethea's oat field and then left for Bennettsville. They were accompanied to Bennettsville by Mr. A. H. Baiden and accompanied to Bennettsville by Mr. A. H. Baiden and then left for Bennettsville by Mr. A. H. Baiden and then left for Bennettsville by Mr. A. H. Baiden and then left for Bennettsville by Mr. A. H. Baiden and then left for Bennettsville by Mr. A. H. Baiden and the present town of Latta officials, I does not salve the present town of Latta o J. M. Sprunt. This is Mr. Sprunt's Miss Geneive Huggins, of Dillon, H. the occasion by their delightful ber of cattle. Horry leads the state in Mrs. Fass arrived in Dillon Tuesday dy, J. A. B. LeGette and L. L. Watsecond trip to Bennettsville in an J. Huggins, of Florence and J. T. piano music throughout the after- the number of hogs, the returns morning and are stopping at the son for alderman of Latta, S. C. showing 24,038.

May Buy Airplane.

Messrs. I. T. Wood and James M. Sprunt are thinking seriously of buying an airplane for commercial service. They are investigating the different makes of planes and expect Kingstree, Dec. 15-A shooting to purchase a modern machine in the Sprunt has purchased the Cotting-ham building next to the Peoples Bank and will move his automobile

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Sprunt, sa land-ing field, Land around Dillon is very high and it is hard to obtain at a reasonable price a piece of land the could be used for a field.

Another Dr. Pratt, upon returning ing field, Land around Dillon is very high and it is hard to obtain at a reasonable price a piece of land the could be used for a field.

Another Dr. Pratt, having warned Cotton in the location of the locatio John Bell, plane. The machine must be protect-

Sunday Evening Subject: "A Message from Dr. Pratt is a native of this state Heaven." A church conference will be

HOTEL BRINGS BIG PRICE.

lived with his brother-in-law, John business property ever recorded in ly up to the president vindicating Bell, and the latter's mother and sis- Florence was consumated today when congress completely. ter. Young Cotton was a son of Con- Mr. Sanborn Chase purchased the ductor J. W. Cotton, of the Atlantic Central Hotel, the consideration be-

Red Cross Christmas Seal Campaign. are arranging to make delivery of the A presidential proclamation declaring property by the first of the year.

Campaign has been extended to the they were undetermined but that he ident would be warranted technicalmight have some announcement of ly in taking such action, the court

Mrs. Cottingham, County Chairman, time in July the Messrs. McCowan which shows that demoblization is for \$90,000. In Mr. Chase's purchase is included the property in the rear

in Dillon county, 75 per cent of the New York Herald was brought to the value of \$2,886,109.00. Char-leston will pay into the state treas-and Miss Mildred Sellers. public health work. You are helping Raymond's Cemetery, the Bronx, by yourself and your community when Charles Seigrist, of No. 920 Forest

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Coffee was served in the living Cotton Mills Gibson & Muller.

Cotton Mills Gibson & Muller. placed in the receiving vault. plaintiff alleges that the body was taken from the vault and lost. He Warehouse company and that of the says he made many inquiries regard- New York firm of Dryfos, Blum and Every citizen of the county who body, but received no satisfactory ining the whereabouts of his wife's company.

on Wednesday, December 31st, at pain because of the great love and

Show Decrease During Shortage.

sugar curtailment, there are fewer patients admitted each day, particu-

larly in the baby wards. "This would substantiate the statements of our physiology text books

BLUM-FASS

Dillon Hotel.

SAYS U. S. COURTS

SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS PRO-HIBITION LAW.

Nation Will Experience a Dry Christmas Unless the President Intervenes.

Washington, Dec. 15-There will be no wild men women or bells this Christmas. If there are, it will be because the president is willing there shall be. The same applies to New Year's and other festivities where "Tom and Jerry" and other bibulous concoctions have usually lent the

proper degree of cheer to the occasion For "Tom and Jerry" those inseparable twins of the cups who have become as indigenous to the American celebration of Christmas as Santz Main street Methodist church, Dr. Clau and Dickens' Christmas carol, are no mare. They passed away to-John Barleycorn, over whom final presme court read its decision declaring the war-time prohibition bill constitutional.

Besides affirming the legally of the wartime measure, the court definiteing demobilization of the country's military forces complete and the war at an end, which congress and the White House have been shuttling back and forth since the law became The largest real estate deal in city effective. The decision puts it square-

Left to President. The decision of the court means that the president has the exclusive pow-Messrs. R. M. McCown, M. Ryan er to grant a reprieve to liquor be-McCowan and P. J. Maxwell, from fore the national prohibition amendwhom the property was purchased ment becomes effective January 16. demobilization complete is all that When asked about his plans today is necessary, the court declares, al-The Red Cross Christmas Seal Mr. Chase stated that at present though it questions whether the pres-

Decision Against Kv. Court.

The court did not hand down a of the building also, running clear decision on the case affecting the con-Mrs. Gorce Carmichael spent last its pro rata share of the state tax. The One of the most beautiful receptions of the season was that given by week with her mother, Mrs. Katie including both real and personal is Mrs. G. D. Barlow Wednesday after. No. 11. Miss Sallie Rogers _____ 5.00 a frontage of 128 1-2; feet and a through from Evans to Front street. stitutionality of the legislation adopt-No. 10. Miss Sallie Rogers - 5.00 a frontage of 128 1-2 feet and a time act, nor on those questions the right of congress to declare a bever-Mrs. W. K. Fort and L. B. Fort highest return in the state, with total last Tuesday in Fayetteville.

Mrs. Jasper Rogers spent a few Mrs. John Hargrove and Mrs. W. C. Moore and invited in the parlor, where they were met to the parlor of the New York Hereld was brought. expected until January after the holiday recess. By this time, the dry forces are confident that national pro-

> The last they regard as a remote against the Kentucky Distilleries and

Conviction Under School Law.

The first case in Latta to be hantendance law was tried today in Magistrate Allen's court. The defendant in the case was Emanuel Johnson, re-IS HEALTH BENEFIT. siding just outside of Latta. The warrant was sworn out on the evidence of ance officer, of Dillon county, and R. T. Fairey, Superintendent of the Latta Public Schools. The child in the Contrary to the general opinion the case, Carl Johnson, 13 year old son

do this will continue the case, and "It is highly gratifying," he said the full penalty of the law will be the law must be upheld and all violators will be rigidly dealt with.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Appreciating the faithful service and wishing to endorse the business like and efficient administration of Mrs. Kittie Blum and Mr. David H. the present town of Latta officials, I